

Table 2.7. States That Require Newly Hired Physical Education (PE) Teachers to Have Undergraduate or Graduate Training in PE or a Related Field, by School Level¹

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Yes ○ No ? Incomplete Data 	Requires Undergraduate or Graduate Training in PE or a Related Field		
	Elementary Schools	Middle/Junior High Schools	Senior High Schools
Alabama	●	●	●
Alaska	○	○	○
Arizona	○	○	○
Arkansas	○	●	●
California	○	●	●
Colorado	○	○	○
Connecticut	●	●	●
Delaware	●	●	●
District of Columbia	●	●	●
Florida	○	○	○
Georgia	○	●	●
Hawaii	○	●	●
Idaho	○	●	●
Illinois	●	●	●
Indiana	●	●	●
Iowa	●	●	●
Kansas	○	○	○
Kentucky	○	●	●
Louisiana	●	●	●
Maine	●	●	●
Maryland	●	●	●
Massachusetts	●	●	●
Michigan	●	●	●
Minnesota	●	●	●
Mississippi	?	?	?
Missouri	●	●	●
Montana	●	●	●
Nebraska	○	○	○
Nevada	○	●	●
New Hampshire	●	●	●
New Jersey	○	○	○
New Mexico	●	●	●
New York	●	●	●
North Carolina	●	●	●

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North Dakota	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Ohio	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Oklahoma	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Oregon	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Pennsylvania	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Rhode Island	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
South Carolina	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
South Dakota	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Tennessee	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Texas	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Utah	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Vermont	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Virginia	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Washington	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
West Virginia	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Wisconsin	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Wyoming	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>

¹"Has your state adopted a policy stating that newly-hired staff who teach physical education at each of the following levels will have undergraduate or graduate training in physical education or a related field: (a) elementary school, (b) middle/junior high school, and (c) senior high school?" (State Physical Education Questionnaire, Items 52a-c)